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Watch it grow. What? Everything.

What do the American people care for a paltry hundred million dollars to help her boys? If it took the entire amount to give one of them relief and comfort over there, he's worth it, especially if he's your boy.

### To Our Subscribers

Dear Subscriber and Friend:  
We are asking this favor of you in the interest of our business, and trust you may be able to grant our request for aid.

Here is the whole thing in a nutshell. The young man who has been the Recorder's compositor, left us last week, having secured a more lucrative position. His faithful services will be greatly missed and it is impossible to secure experienced help to take his place.

You all know the labor situation. The farms, factories and munition plants must go, and thus labor has been withdrawn from many so-called nonessential industries. The Recorder has no help and don't know where to get it. NOW RIGHT HERE is where we go right down on our knees and come to you with an honest and sincere heart and ask for your help.

The Highland Recorder is bound to progress, and to do that we must have a Linotype, a machine that will mechanically set the type and do away with the constant worry of getting competent help. We must do it because we cannot find help to fill the place which has been made vacant. We need \$500 cash for the first payment, and if every subscriber would pay his arrearage to date and another dollar to set the date ahead another year, we could pay the first payment and considerable of the principal. Won't you please help us, and show you are a booster for the Highland Recorder, as we are for you?

The writer has never come to you in this manner before, but as something must be done, and done quickly, we humbly ask for your help and cooperation. Will you help us by sending the amount due and adding another year? Every one of you will reap the benefits in the increased capacity to put news into type with the new machine. Please mail check or money order by return mail. You are welcome to pay as many years in advance as you may wish; our acknowledgment of appreciation and receipt will be mailed you.

Please help us now.  
Sincerely yours,  
H. B. Wood, Editor

### Live Bits

Do not allow your dollars to be conscripted—they should be volunteers.

Gradually the enemy discovers that the Yank carries a wallop in both mitts.

Germany is willing to swallow four of the President's peace terms. The other ten will be rammed down her throat.

Trotsky is now learning that it "takes two" to withdraw from a war.

Hendenburg has got his head in to the mouth of the British lion, but it is doubtful whether he can get it out again.

Behind a mere scrap of paper Holland awaits Germany's cold blooded decision.

Charles Schwab who is turning out new ships by the score furnishes further irrefutable evidence that a German name is no indication of treason.

Germany says that the naval design of the allies upon Zeebrugge and Ostend were frustrated, but what else could Germany have been expected to say?

All Chicago cabarets closed by law on the first of May.

### New Registration June 5th

The Act providing for the registration of men who have become 21 years of age since June 5, last, has been passed by Congress and Proclamation by the President will be issued shortly, naming June 5th, next, from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. as the day for registration.

Several houses in a Spanish town are built of meerscham, a coarse variety of which is mined in the neighborhood.

## LIBERTY LOAN HUGE SUCCESS

Oversubscription of 39 Per Cent.  
Shown in Final Treasury Figures.

### MINNEAPOLIS HEADS LIST.

Approximately 17,000,000 Persons Subscribed, Almost Twice as Many as in Second Loan and More Than Four Times as Many as in First.

Washington.—America's third Liberty loan has been oversubscribed by \$1,170,019,650, the treasury department announced.

This result not only exceeds every other government loan, it proving the patriotism of the people, according to department officials, but exceeds as well the response of the people of any other nation in the war, including Germany.

Besides the material purpose of raising money to support the war, it is deemed of incalculable value in demonstrating to friend and foe alike the readiness and eagerness of the Americans at home to help those Americans at the front. Approximately 17,000,000 persons subscribed, almost twice as many as in the second loan and more than four times as many as in the first, showing an increasing interest among the people and desire to sacrifice for the American cause.

The New York district, the largest contributor, with \$1,114,930,700, more than a fourth of the total, held the bottom position on the percentage table because big business interests with headquarters in New York and banking institutions failed to subscribe heavily to the loan owing to imminence of federal tax paying time.

### Records by Districts

Records by districts are as follows:

District	Quota in Millions	Raised, Millions	Per cent.
Minneapolis	105	180,826,350	172.0
St. Louis	130	202,301,050	155.9
St. Paul	130	199,035,300	153.0
Chicago	90	136,653,350	151.8
Philadelphia	250	361,963,500	144.7
San Francisco	80	115,395,200	144.2
San Antonio	425	608,878,600	143.2
St. Paul	120	135,968,950	143.0
St. Paul	250	354,537,250	142.0
St. Paul	210	298,557,450	139.0
St. Paul	300	404,988,200	135.0
St. Paul	300	1,114,930,700	124.0
United States Treasury		\$1,170,019,650	

The subscriptions accredited to the treasury were those sent direct to Washington. Treasury officials will begin immediately to organize canvassing forces for the campaign for the next loan in the autumn.

### U. S. ARMY JOINS BRITISH.

Americans to Assist in Defense of Channel Ports.

With the American Army in France. Troops of the new American army have arrived within the zone of the British forces in northern France and are now completing their training in the area occupied by the troops which are blocking the path of the Germans to the Channel ports.

Their commander already has commanded American forces in trenches in the French front. The British officers and men who are training the new force say the Americans are of the finest material and are certain to give a most excellent account of themselves when they meet the Germans.

The British troops greeted the Americans not only as comrades in arms, but as warm friends, and the work of instruction is being continued in that spirit. The American forces on arriving within the British zone were cheered to the skies by the sons of Britain, many of whom bore unmistakable signs of battle. They had not known the Americans before, but they knew they were coming.

The Americans, on the other hand, gained all the more enthusiasm for the heartiness of the greeting which they received from their battle scarred comrades in arms. The last stages of their training before entering the line were begun almost as soon as they reached their destination.

### WORLD'S NEWS IN CONDENSED FORM

PARIS.—Maj. Raoul Lufbery, America's premier ace, who had shot down 17 German airplanes, was brought down in flames and killed in France by an enemy triplane which he was attacking. He was buried with full military honors.

WASHINGTON.—The United Shoe Machinery Company, attacked under the Sherman law, won a complete victory in the Supreme Court.

LONDON.—The press of London hails President Wilson's New York speech as a ringing declaration of the allied cause to win the war and as a final answer to false prophets of peace.

WASHINGTON.—Official Washington sees in President Wilson's New York Red Cross speech an appeal for unlimited power to call troops as may be needed to crush German militarism.

PARIS.—Victor Boret, the French minister, said the three meanness days had died France past the food crisis and made sure that the American and French soldiers would receive the food needed to win the war.

BERLIN.—Prussian soldiers at the front are warning the government of "exciting times" on their return if the suffrage reform bill is shelved.

### Spend Your Money

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### No Time for Pessimism

Don't be pessimistic. This is no time for it. The pessimist may be patriotic, but in giving expression to his gloom he borders closely upon sedition.

Be optimistic. Look to the brighter side. Don't give away to doubt. We are going to win this war, that is as certain as that the sun shines in May.

The other day the President asked "why limit the army to 5,000,000 men?" He answered by saying it is the first duty of the United States to win the war.

In saying that the President was not speaking for himself alone, his voice was the voice of the American people.

Twelve months ago there was a difference of opinion here about going to war, but that difference has been practically wiped out; it is seen there had to be war, and when the American people go into a war they go in to win.

One thing is certain, that is if Germany is going to win it must be done this summer. With the Kaiser this summer; it is now or never. He must even now see that hope of victory for him has gone glimmering.

Most people saw it in the failure of the Germans to successfully carry out the drive begun two months ago. Nothing much was gained in territory, and what was gained was at fearful cost. What has thus been gained is a graveyard covered over with human blood, and most of the blood shed has been German blood.—Ex.

### Much in Little

When a barrel of molasses burst on a Freeland (Pa.) street, firemen were called out to flush the bricks so traffic could proceed.

The Chinese pen is a brush made of soft hair, which is best adapted for painting the curiously formed letters of the Chinese alphabet.

The water supply of the city of Tunis is obtained from the same source that supplied ancient Carthage and some of its cisterns still are in use.

A Polish scientist is the inventor of a motion-picture camera which can be carried in the hand and which is operated by compressed air when a button is pressed.

Joseph Pellerin, of Manchester, N. H., owns a rare old coin, Maximilian, struck in 1613. The coin, 305 years old, is about the size of an American dollar and is considered by the British museum as the most artistic coin of the period.

### BIRDS HELP SAVE THE CROPS

Winged Destroyers of Tree and Grain Insects Should Be Protected Declare the Audubon Societies.

The National Association of Audubon Societies issued a warning against the indiscriminate slaughter of birds and wild life, declaring perils threaten the agriculture of the United States unless action is taken immediately to save the lives of certain animals and birds.

"The crops will save the nation," the bulletin says, "but the birds will help to save the crops. Therefore, it is necessary that the birds be saved."

"The thoughtless and irresponsible would kill the robins, and thus destroy the natural enemies of grasshoppers, beetles and caterpillars; they would exterminate the woodpeckers and thus execute those traditional watchmen of our fruit and forest trees which destroy the larvae of the gypsy moth; they would do away with the chickadees, which annually eat myriads of bugs, canker worms, moth and plant lice. They would slay the orchard oriole, the bulk of the food of which consists of cabbage worms, grasshoppers and the larvae of all kinds of noxious invaders of garden and farm."

### Squirrel Aided Bridge Builders.

"There is an old Hindu story about Rama's bridge. Rama, the chief of the gods, was building a bridge, and the monkeys came to help, in the work. They carried earth and stones and trees, and piled them up. They moved cliffs and mountains. While the work was at its height the squirrel came to help. The squirrel could not carry much, but he rolled himself up in the sand and scampers to the bridge and shook the sand from his coat and scampers back again. The monkeys stopped and laughed at the squirrel. They said, 'Ho! what does he think he is doing? But Rama had watched the squirrel, and he reproved the monkeys, saying that according to his powers the squirrel was doing as much as any of them. And this legend adds that Rama kindly and from that day to this the squirrel has always borne upon his coat the stripes that are the marks of Rama's fingers.'—St. Nicholas.

### Dentist Useful in Army.

At the beginning of the war, the dental surgeon, so far as the allies were concerned, was not officially recognized in army circles, says Popular Science Monthly. Indeed, it was not until the Germans marched into Brussels, with a dental post every ten kilometers, that the allies appreciated the importance of oral hygiene.

Today there are 11 American dental field ambulances in France alone. Men who were formerly sent home on sick leave, whose only trouble was their molars, are now kept at the front. Soldiers to the number of a division and a half have thus been spared to the army. Furthermore, the surgeons insist that a wounded man with bad teeth makes slow recovery. And then, too, army rations are hard to masticate, so that the man with poor teeth "bolts" his food and loses strength and endurance. In our new National army there will be a dentist for every 500 men.

### The Red Cross

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The Doe Hill Aux. names will appear in next issue.

### Had you Thought of It?

As superintendent of publicity for the Highland Red Cross Chapter, we feel called upon to thank the Recorder man for his liberal space allotment to the work. The casual observer would fail to note the fact, perhaps, that much space is allowed, and that it is gratuitous although it is an editor's "stock in trade."

The great service rendered by the press of the country since war was declared has been recognized in a general way, but few stop to think how the government would be handicapped without this exhaustive advertising.

As to the interest thus shown by our county paper, we doubt not that Mr. Wood has been glad to thus help along the good work, but in summing up the efficient service and measuring its importance, the sacrifices, financial and otherwise, involved, let us not overlook the extensive, gratuitous part done by our home paper.

If you are a member of the Red Cross and not a subscriber to the Recorder, your duty is only half done.

Any one who has not gotten their belongings from the R. C. dinner will call on Mrs. V. B. Bishop and get same.

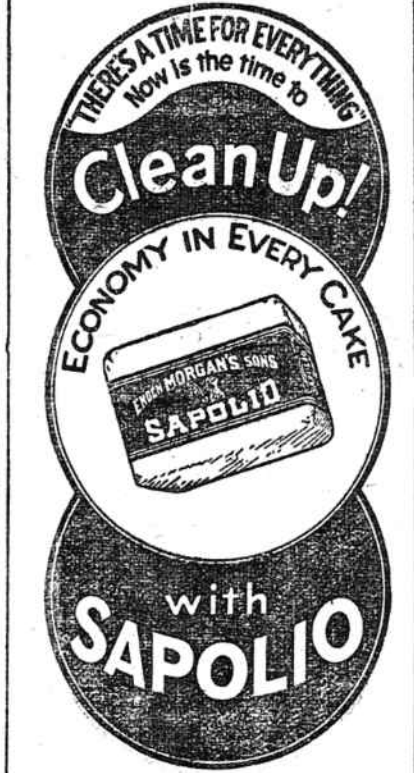
Membership buttons and crosses will be mailed to each membership solicitor as soon as they come. The last order for same has not been received and a duplicate order has been sent.

H. F. Slaven,  
Supt. Publicity

### Please take Notice

I will be canvassing the county from now on for 1 month or more listing personal property. Please have your list of property, bonds, money or income ready so as to save time to you and me. If you cannot be at home leave a list of your property with some of your family.

Respectfully,  
J. H. Pruitt,  
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### Trustee's Sale

By virtue of authority vested in me as Trustee in a certain deed of trust of record in Highland County Circuit Court Clerk's Office in Deed Book No. 19 at page 242 conveying to me certain personal property hereinafter described to secure and indemnify J. H. Samples, T. J. Sipe and J. J. Rowland as endorser of a negotiable note and any renewal of the same for \$335.00 dated Dec. 3, 1914 and due 90 days after date, made by D. C. Samples and endorsed by the endorser above mentioned, and having been notified by the surviving endorser so to do, I will on Saturday, the first day of June 1918 offer for sale at E. K. Samples' blacksmith shop in Monterey, Virginia, at public auction the following personal property: One drill and 8 bits, 1 tire bender, 1 tire shrinker, 1 vice and bench tools, 1 anvil and anvil tools, one forge and bellows, 1 set of thread dies, 2 bolt cutters, 2 braces and bits, 19 pairs of tongs, 4 hand hammers, 2 sledges, 45 pounds of horse shoe nails, 1 hand saw, 1 draw knife, 1 square, a lot of rod iron, one bar of steel 1 inch by 1 inch, 3 buggy springs, 1 shoeing box and tools, 1 three horse double tree, about 2000 pounds of stone coal, some automobile spring, a lot of iron and other things too tedious to mention. Sale will begin at 10 o'clock A. M. J. C. Matheny, Trustee.

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To the personal representatives, heirs and devisees of John Beattie deceased, whose names and addresses are unknown to me.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 4th day of January, 1915, I purchased 67 acres of land lying on Crab Run in Highland County Va., at a sale made thereof by Willis Gibson Treasurer of Highland County, the same having been returned delinquent for nonpayment of taxes, and I will proceed to have the said land surveyed and a deed made to me therefor by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Highland County, Va.

John H. Samples,

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